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TREATMENT OF INFLAMMATION

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

Please enter the following amendments before examination of the above  
referenced application:

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins  
on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/arguments** begin on page 130 of this paper.